

Serial No. 10-767,893  
67097-015; EH-10926

**REMARKS**

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the detailed remarks and analysis. Claims 1-5, 7-16 and 18 remain in this application. Claims 1, 7, 11, 14 and 18 have been amended and claims 6, 17, and 19-22 cancelled.

Claims 6-11, and 17 and 18 were indicated as being allowable if rewritten in independent form. Applicant has amended claim 1 to include the limitations previously presented in claim 6. Claim 14 has been amended to include the limitations previously presented in claim 17.

Accordingly, the claims are in condition for allowance. No additional fees are seen to be required. If any additional fees are due, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482, in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds, P.C., for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayment. Therefore, favorable reconsideration and allowance of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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